

## Message Text

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ACTION XMB-04

INFO OCT-01 ARA-06 ISO-00 EB-07 COME-00 TRSE-00 CIAE-00  
INR-07 NSAE-00 FRB-03 AID-05 L-03 /036 W  
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R 171937Z DEC 76  
FM AMEMBASSY BRIDGETOWN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1957

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EO 11652: NA  
TAGS: EFIN, AC  
SUBJECT: ANTIGUA'S EX-IM DEBT

REF STATE 304927

1. EX-IM'S AUGUST 11, 1976, LTR TO DEPUTY PREMIER LESTER BIRD WAS DELIVERED ON/ABOUT AUGUST 26 UNDER COVER OF A LTR FROM AMB. BRITTON TO BIRD. (ACCOMPANYING THE ED-IM LTR WERE THE LOAN PAPERS FOR SIGNATURE.)
2. IN VIEW OF PREMIER V.C. BIRD'S ALLEGED UNAWARENESS OF THE MATTER, IT MAY BE THERE IS A GENERATION GAP AFFECTING INTRA-BIRD FAMILY COMMUNICATION: DEPUTY PREMIER LESTER BIRD (SON) MAY NOT HAVE TOLD DAD (THE PREMIER) ABOUT THE LOAN RESCHEDULING.
3. EMBASSY WILL AGAIN CONTACT DEPUTY PREMIER LESTER BIRD REGARDING THIS MATTER.  
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